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BOX PATENT APPLICATION Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Re:

Application of Kennosuke KOJIMA, Masahiko ISHIDA and

Shuji TAKADA

OPTICAL DETECTOR
Assignee: HORIBA, LTD.

Our Ref. Q68501

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty-one (21) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, five (5) sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	24 - 20) =	4 x	\$18.00	= .	\$72.00
Independent claims	1 - 3	3 =	x	\$84.00	= _	\$.00
Base Fee						\$740.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee					_	\$280.00

TOTAL FILING FEE
Recordation of Assignment
TOTAL FEE

\$1092.00 \$40.00 \$1132.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1092.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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Priority is claimed from:

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Application No

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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC

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